



CEREMONIAL OBSERVANCE

by

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF MANITOBA
THE CITIES OF WINNIPEG AND ST. BONIFACE
AND THE SUBURBAN MUNICIPALITIES
ADJACENT THERETO

of

The Coronation

OF HER GRACIOUS MAJESTY

Queen Elizabeth II

.

TUESDAY, JUNE SECOND, 1953

TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON, CENTRAL DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME
LEGISLATIVE BUILDING - WINNIPEG, MANITOBA

Order of Service



(I) The March Past

(II) Fanfare of Trumpets

(III) Invocation

Rev. H. A. Frame, D.D.,
President, Manitoba Conference, United Church of Canada.

Almighty God, who from the place of Thy habitation looketh upon all the inhabitants of the earth, be pleased to accept the worship which we, Thy people, here assembled do now offer unto Thee. May the throne of our Empire be established in righteousness. Make us a wise and understanding generation, that we, united and strengthened by Thy Holy spirit, may do justly, love mercy and walk with God, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(IV) Hymn

Led by the Choir of the Robert H. Smith Junior High School of Winnipeg.
Accompanied by the Band of the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.

God save our gracious Queen,
Long live our noble Queen,
God save the Queen;
Send her victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us;
God Save the Queen.

Thy choicest gifts in store,
On her be pleased to pour,
Long may she reign;
May she defend our laws,
And ever give us cause,
To sing with heart and voice,
God Save the Queen.

(V) Address

The Honourable, the Premier of Manitoba.

(VI) Hymn

Led by the Choir of the Robert H. Smith Junior High School of Winnipeg.
Accompanied by the Band of the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Be Thou our guard while troubles last,
And our eternal home.

(VII) A Call to Prayer

The Most Rev. L. Ralph Sherman, M.A., B.Litt., LL.D., D.D.,
Archbishop of Rupert's Land.

Let us pray for the Queen

Almighty God, who rulest over all the kingdoms of the world, and dost order them according to Thy good pleasure; we yield Thee unfeigned thanks for that Thou hast been pleased to set Thy Servant our Sovereign Lady, Queen Elizabeth, upon the throne of this realm. Let Thy wisdom be her guide, and let Thine arm strengthen her; let truth and justice, holiness and righteousness, peace and charity, abound in her days. Direct all her counsels and endeavours to Thy glory, and the welfare of her subjects; give us grace to obey her cheerfully for conscience sake, and let her always possess the hearts of her people; let her reign be long and prosperous, and crown her with everlasting life in the world to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Let us pray for the British Commonwealth and Empire

Almighty God, who rulest in the kingdom of men, and hast given to our Sovereign Lady, Queen Elizabeth, a great dominion in all parts of the earth: draw together, we pray Thee, in true fellowship the men of divers races, languages, and customs, who dwell therein, that, bearing one another's burdens, and working together in

brotherly concord, they may fulfil the purpose of Thy providence, and set forward Thy everlasting kingdom. Pardon, we beseech Thee, our sins and shortcomings: keep far from us all selfishness and pride: and give us grace to employ Thy good gifts of order and freedom to Thy glory and the welfare of mankind; through Jesus Christ Thy Son our Lord, to whom with Thee and the Holy Ghost be all glory and dominion, world without end. Amen.

Let us pray for peace

Inspire, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the hearts of all men everywhere with the spirit of love and justice, and enlighten with the wisdom which is from above the leaders of the nations, that they may seek first the coming of Thy kingdom and the fellowship of Thy children: deliver us Thy people from faithlessness and fear, save us from the sins and cruelties of war, and guide our feet into Thy way of peace: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Let us pray for the Church

O Almighty God, who on the day of Pentecost didst send the Holy Ghost the Comforter to abide in Thy Church unto the end; Bestow upon us and all Thy faithful people His manifold gifts of grace, that with minds enlightened by His truth, and hearts purified by His presence, we may day by day be strengthened with power in the inward man; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with Thee and the same Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, world without end. Amen.

(VIII) Scripture Reading

Rev. Edward M. Checkland, B.A., B.D.,
President, Winnipeg Council of Churches.

The Queen shall rejoice in thy strength. O Lord;
And in thy salvation how greatly shall she rejoice!
Thou hast given her her heart's desire,
And hast not withholden the request of her lips.
For thou dost meet her with the blessings of goodness:
Thou settest a crown of pure gold on her head.
For the Queen trusteth in the Lord,
And through the mercy of the most High she shall not be moved.
—(Psalm 21:1-3,7)

Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest wickedness:
Therefore God, thy God, hath anointed thee with the
oil of gladness above thy fellows.—(Psalm 45:7)

Give the Queen thy judgments, O God
And thy righteousness unto the royal daughter.
She shall judge thy people with righteousness,
And thy poor with judgment:
She shall have dominion also from sea to sea,
And from the river unto the ends of the earth.
—(Psalm 72:1,2,8)

For the Lord is a great God,
And a great King above all gods.—(Psalm 95:3)

Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord;
Let thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us,
According as we hope in Thee.—(Psalm 33:12,22)

(IX) Chorus

Land of Hope and Glory, Edward Elgar.

Choir of the Robert H. Smith Junior High School of Winnipeg.

Accompanied by the Band of the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.

Dear Land of Hope, thy hope is crowned,
God make thee mightier yet!
On Sov'ran brows, belov'd, renown'd,
Once more thy crown is set.
Thine equal laws, by Freedom gained,
Have ruled thee well and long;
By Freedom gained, by Truth maintain'd,
Thine Empire shall be strong.

Land of Hope and Glory, Mother of the Free,
How shall we extol thee, who are born of thee?
Wider still and wider shall thy bounds be set;
God, who made thee mighty, make thee mightier yet,
God, who made thee mighty, make thee mightier yet.

Land of Hope and Glory, Mother of the Free,
How shall we extol thee, who are born of thee?
Wider still and wider shall thy bounds be set;
God, who made thee mighty, make thee mightier yet,
God, who made thee mighty, make thee mightier yet.

Audience with Choir--

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(X) Message to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second
From His Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor.

To Her Most Excellent Majesty Queen Elizabeth II,
Buckingham Palace, London, England.

May it please Your Majesty:

The Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba presents his humble duty to Your Majesty and has the honour, on behalf of the Government and the people of Manitoba, to respectfully declare, on the occasion of Your Majesty's Coronation, their unswerving loyalty to the Crown and their steadfast devotion to Your Majesty.

The people of Manitoba have come from almost every country to make their homes in Canada but they are all united in loyalty and devotion to Your Majesty and join in wishing for our most Gracious Sovereign a long, peaceful and happy reign.



Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba.

(XI) Message to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second
From the Legislature of the Province of Manitoba.
Read by the Hon. N. V. Bachynsky, Speaker of the Legislative
Assembly.

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty:

Most Gracious Sovereign:

We, the members of the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba, in Session assembled, repledge our loyalty to the Crown and extend our best wishes for the happiness of Your Reign, on the historic occasion of Your Majesty's Coronation on the Second day of June.

At this time we would, on behalf of all the people of Manitoba, express our deep spirit of loyalty to Your Majesty as throughout the solemn ceremonies of the Coronation there is symbolized the mutual bond of trust and devotion between Your Majesty and your loyal subjects of the Commonwealth.

We have happy memories of the gracious visit of Your Majesty and His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh to this Province. We feel sure it has further enriched the traditions of the lasting relationship between the Crown and our people.

The solemnity of the Coronation will be an occasion marked by the feelings of our Members and our citizens for the deep spiritual and historical significance of the vows that bind us as loyal subjects of Your Majesty. You may be assured of the prayers of all of us for the welfare of Your Majesty and Members of the Royal Family, now, and for the future reign.

With all the people throughout the extended realms of Your Sovereignty, linked by allegiance to Your Majesty, we join in the prayer that peace and happiness may, under Divine blessing and guidance, symbolize Your Majesty's reign and that it may be a long and happy one.

Members of the Legislature

HON. DOUGLAS L. CAMPBELL	HON. J. S. McDIARMID	HON. IVAN SCHULTZ, Q.C.
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(XII) O Canada

Led by the Choir of the Robert H. Smith Junior High School of Winnipeg.

Accompanied by the Band of the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery.

O Canada! our home and native land!
True patriot love in all thy sons command.
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,
The True North strong and free,
And stand on guard, O Canada,
We stand on guard for thee.

O Canada, glorious and free!
We stand on guard, we stand on guard for thee!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee!

(XIII) A Salute of Guns

(XIV) Fly Past by No. 402 Reserve Squadron, R.C.A.F.

THE ROYAL CANADIAN HORSE ARTILLERY BAND

under the direction

of

LIEUTENANT C. A. HOLT

Director of Music, Prairie Command

THE ROBERT H. SMITH JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR

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MISS BETH CRUIKSHANK

